

Congress of the United States House of Representatives

CONGRESSMAN GREG CASAR TEXAS 35TH DISTRICT

March 28, 2023

Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting funding for John Treviño Jr. Metro Park at Morrison Ranch Development City of Austin, Travis County, Texas, 35th Congressional District in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Austin located at 301 West Second Street, Austin TX 78701. The funding would be used for Phase 1 which includes installing roadway entry, trailhead parking, picnicking facilities, a trail network, utility service, and ecological restoration and improvements of this East Austin community park. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because building a community greenspace in a historically underserved part of the city will have environmental, education, and economic impacts which will benefit the City of Austin.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 42 U.S.C. 5305(a)(2).

I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,

Congressman Greg Casar

Texas Congressional District 35